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IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 1 and 2 as follows:

1. (Currently Amended) A scooter comprising: a platform, a steering column, said steering column pivotally joined to said platform, a first front steerable wheel, a first rear steerable wheel, said first front and said first rear wheels each independently steerable from the other, said first front and said first rear wheels attached to said platform, said first front steerable wheel connected to said steering column, a rear steering linkage, said rear steering linkage connected to said first rear wheel, a pivotable handle, said pivotable handle attached to said steering column, a cable, said cable attached to said pivotable handle and to said rear steering linkage whereby turning said steering column will steer said first front wheel and pivoting said handle will cause said first rear wheel to rotate into alignment with said platform.
2. (Currently Amended) The scooter of claim 1 further comprising a second front wheel, a front steering linkage, said first and said second front wheels connected to said front steering linkage for tandem wheel movement of said first and said second front wheels.
3. (Original) The scooter of claim 1 further comprising

a second rear wheel, said second rear wheel connected to said rear steering linkage for tandem movement of said first and said second rear wheels.

4. (Original) The scooter of claim 1 wherein said cable comprises a sheath, a wire, said wire slidably contained within said sheath.
5. (Original) The scooter of claim 1 further comprises a first front wheel housing, said first front wheel housing surrounding said first front wheel, a first housing arm, said first housing arm rigidly connected to said first front wheel housing, a first steering rod, said first housing arm pivotally connected to said first steering rod, a column arm, said column arm affixed to said steering column, and said first steering rod pivotally joined to said column arm.
6. (Original) The scooter of claim 5 further comprising a second front wheel housing, said second front wheel housing surrounding said second front wheel, a second housing arm, said second housing arm rigidly connected to said second front wheel housing, a second steering rod, said second housing arm pivotally connected to said second steering rod and said second steering rod pivotally joined to said column arm.
7. (Original) The scooter of claim 1 comprising: a platform extension, said platform extension hingedly connected to said platform, a brake assembly, said brake assembly joined to said platform extension, said

brake assembly comprising: an axle, a first brake pad, said first brake pad attached to said axle, said first brake pad proximate said first rear wheel.

8. (Original) The scooter of claim 7 further comprising a second brake pad, said second brake pad attached to said axle proximate said second rear wheel.
9. (Original) The scooter of claim 7 wherein said brake assembly further comprises a second brake pad, said second brake pad cylindrically shaped.
10. (Withdrawn) A scooter comprising: a platform, a first front wheel, a first rear wheel, said first front and said first rear wheels joined to said platform, a steering column, said steering column affixed to said platform, a first front steering cable, a first rear steering cable, a first front steering rod, a rear steering rod, said first front steering rod pivotally joined to said first front wheel, said rear steering rod pivotally joined to said first rear wheel, said first front steering cable attached to said first front steering rod, said first rear steering cable attached to said rear steering rod, a pivotable handle, said pivotable handle attached to said steering column, said first front

steering cable attached to said pivotable handle whereby pivoting said handle will turn said first front wheel.

11. (Withdrawn) The scooter of claim 1 further comprising a platform extension, said extension hingedly joined to said platform, a brake assembly, said brake assembly affixed to said platform extension.
12. (Withdrawn) The scooter of claim 10 further comprises a second front wheel, said second front wheel joined to said platform, a second front steering cable, a second front steering rod, said second front steering rod pivotally joined to said second front wheel, and said second front steering cable attached to said second front steering rod.
13. (Withdrawn) The scooter of claim 10 further comprising a second rear wheel, said second rear wheel joined to said platform, a second rear steering cable, and said second rear steering cable attached to said second rear wheel.

14. (Withdrawn) The scooter of claim 10 further comprises a first front wheel housing, a first front wheel housing arm, said first front wheel housing arm rigidly attached to said first front wheel housing, said first front wheel contained within said first front wheel housing, said first front steering rod pivotally attached to said first front wheel housing arm, a front steering rod tongue, said front steering rod tongue pivotally joined to said first front steering rod, and said first front steering cable attached to said front steering rod tongue.
15. (Withdrawn) The scooter of claim 10 wherein said steering column is foldable against said platform for storage purposes.
16. (Withdrawn) The scooter of claim 10 further comprising a handle, said handle pivotally joined to said steering column, and said first front steering cable connected to said handle.
17. (Withdrawn) The scooter of claim 16 wherein said handle is c-shaped.
18. (Withdrawn) The scooter of claim 10 further

comprises a cable pulley, said cable pulley mounted in said handle, said first front steering cable attached to said pulley.